## Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of	)	File Nos:
	)	SES-T/C-20061129-02062/63
TELENOR ASA,	)	ITC-T/C-20061129-00529/30/31
Transferor	)	ITC-T/C-20061215-00575
	)	0002817301
And	)	0030-EX-TU-2006
	)	SES-AMD-20070112-00099/100
INCEPTUM 1 AS,	)	SES-AMD-20070112-00102/103/
Transferee	)	104/105/106/107/108/109
	)	ITC-214-20051005-00395
Consolidated Application for	)	
Consent to Transfer of Control and	)	IB Docket No. 06-225
Petition for Declaratory Ruling	)	

# PETITION TO ADOPT CONDITIONS TO AUTHORIZATIONS AND LICENSES

The Department of Homeland Security ("DHS"), with the concurrence of the Department of Justice ("DOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI") (collectively, the "Agencies"), respectfully submit this Petition to Adopt Conditions to Authorizations and Licenses ("Petition"), pursuant to Section 1.41 of the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC" or "Commission") rules.¹ Through this Petition, the Agencies advise the Commission that they have no objection to the Commission granting its consent in the above-referenced proceeding, provided that the Commission conditions the grant on Inceptum 1 AS ("Inceptum") abiding by the commitments and undertakings contained in its February 26, 2007 letter to Kenneth L. Wainstein, Sigal Mandelker, Stewart A. Baker, and Elaine N. Lammert

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.41.

(the "Letter") attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

In the above-captioned proceedings, Telenor ASA and Inceptum (together the "Applicants") have sought Commission consent to the transfer of control of Telenor Satellite Services AS ("TSS") and its indirect wholly owned FCC-authorized subsidiaries, and have filed a petition for declaratory ruling under Section 310(b)(4) of the Act.<sup>2</sup>

As the Commission is aware, the Agencies have taken the position that their ability to satisfy their obligations to protect the national security, enforce the laws, and preserve the safety of the public could be impaired by transactions in which foreign entities will own or operate a part of the U.S. telecommunications system, or in which foreign-located facilities will be used to provide domestic telecommunications services to U.S. customers. After discussions with representatives of Inceptum and TSS in connection with the proposed acquisition of TSS by Inceptum and the related transfer of control over TSS subsidiaries that hold FCC authorizations, the Agencies have concluded that the commitments set forth in the Letter will help ensure that the Agencies and other entities with responsibility for enforcing the law, protecting the national security, and preserving public safety can proceed in a legal, secure, and confidential manner to satisfy these responsibilities. Accordingly, the Agencies hereby advise the Commission that they have no objection to the Commission granting the above-referenced Applications,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Telenor ASA, Transferor, and Inceptum 1 AS, Transferee, Seek FCC Consent to Transfer Control of Licenses and Authorizations and Request a Declaratory Ruling on Foreign Ownership, Public Notice, DA 06-2565, IB Docket No. 06-225 (Dec. 21, 2006).

provided that the Commission conditions its consent on compliance by Inceptum with the commitments set forth in the Letter.

The Agencies are authorized to state that the Applicants do not object to the grant of this Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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